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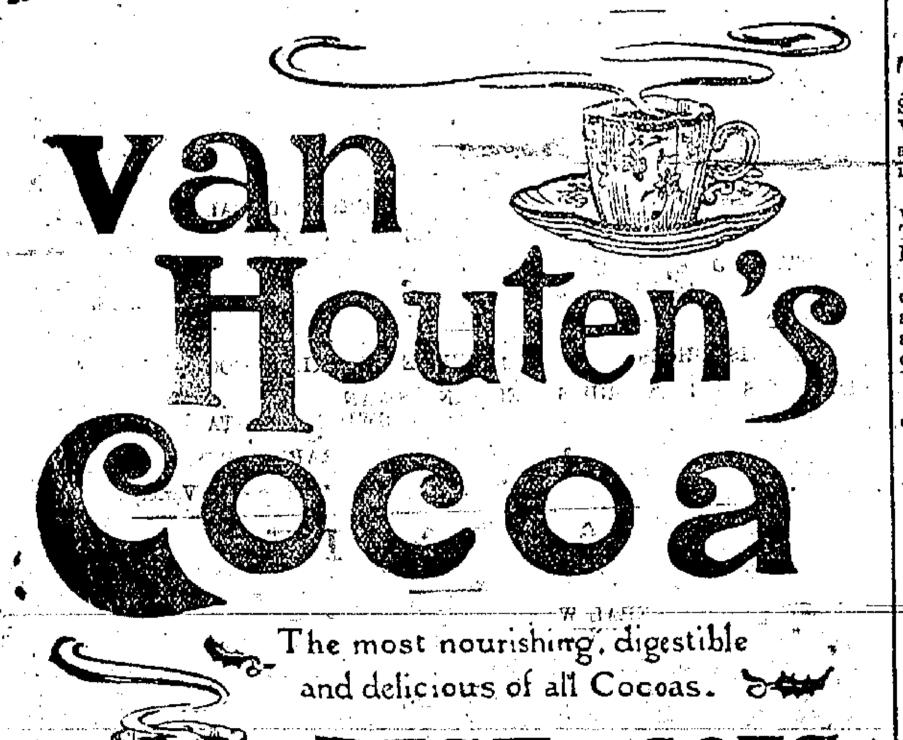
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General Managers. Hongkong, August 27, 1903.

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THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEET ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COM-PANY'S OFFICES, on SATURDAY, the 26th September, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1903.

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Hongkong, September 10, 1903.

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ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meet-ING of HUMPHREYS' ESTATE and FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Nos. 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, 1903, at Noon, when the Subjoined Resolutions will be proposed, viz :-

1. That the Capital of the Company be increased from \$1,000,000 (divided into 100,000 shares of \$10 each) to \$1,500,000 (divided into 150,000 shares of \$10 each) by the creation of 50,000 new shares of \$10 each to be offered and if accepted to be allotted to the present shareholders of the Company at par in the ratio and Pier. proportion of one new share for every two old shares in the Company held by the respective shareholders thereof, the amount payable on each of such new shares respectively to be paid at such time or times and in such manner as the Company by its General Managers may hereafter determine. 2. . That Article No. 82 of the Articles of Association of the Company be can-

celled and the following Article substitued therefor: -'The remuneration of the General Managers shall be \$4,000 per annum (which shall cover office rent but not salaries of Sccretary and other employees) and a commission of 5 per cent. of the net profits of the Company for each year that such profits amount to 7 per cent.

of the Capital of the Company.' Should the above Resolutions be duly QUET TOILET SOAP. passed they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated this 24th day of July, 1903. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managers.

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Colonial.Secretary's Office. Hongkong, September 3, 1903.

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EMPEROR WILLIAM AND THE SOCIALISTS.

Emperor William has allowed it to become known, according to the Paris Temps. that he considers the recent Socialist victories in Germany 'a phenomenon of which the development can be awaited with patience; and as regards the agitation for restriction of the suffrage, the Emperor is alleged to have averred that 'there is no occasion whatever for any intervention of the imperial Government at the present juncture.' The same paper says further that Emperor William is understood to be annoyed at the attitude of the Conserva tives, who, by clamoring for an abrogation of universal suffrage, are placing weapons in the hands of the Socialists. From all this it is inferred that there will be no exceptional laws affecting existing constitu-

There is, however, remarks the Temps a delicate dilemma confronting the Social-Democratic party in Germany because of His Excellency the Governor, of One the rule that the second strongest party Lot of Crown Land above Mount Kel- in the Reichstag is traditionally entitled to name one of the vice-presidents of that of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed | body. This would mean that a Socialist would have to attend the Emperor'saudiences on certain occasions, accept invitations to court dinners, and the like? Now the Socialists of Germany oppose all' such effeteness. The members of the Reichstag who are Socialists are even in the habit of leaving the Chamber when any formal ceremony affecting the imperial family is underway. 'It must be admitted,' concludes the Temps, that the situation is curious. It is a temptation when one has known persecution and outlawry, to taste the sweets of revenge and to be throned among the powers above. No one is unaware of the great and small advantages resulting from the official consecration of a party. There is a refined pleasure in the contemplation of one of those strokes of destiny whose superior irony bids us behold, ten years after the fall of Bismarck, the Reichstag presided over by a president and a vice-president who were victims of the Kulturkampf and the anti-Socialist laws. But true as this is the Socialists feel a certain natural embarrassment in taking such gifts of fortune. They fear, not without reason, to put themselves in a false position and to injure their moral authority by allowing one of their leaders 1801 to submit to the formulas of court etiquet.' The Berlin Socialist organ Vorwarts gays it is 'of no advantage for a minority

and opposition party like our own to

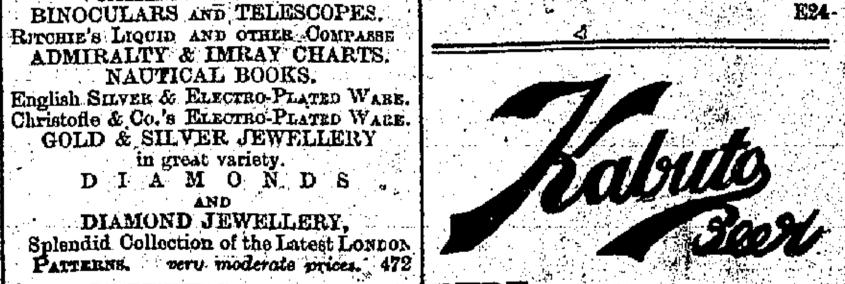
presidency of the Reichstag,' and it

declares, too; that the discussion of

No. 57 and 59, Queen's Road Central, cleet one of its members to the vice-

the subject has brought out 'nothing of importance.' But another Socialist organ, the Socialistische Monutshefte (Berlin), says that 'the custom which requires the vice-president of the Reichstag to pay a visit to the Imperial head of the state is noreason why the claims of the Social-Democratic party to name the incumbent of the vice-presidency should be overlooked or ignored. The London News, which has followed the situation closely, says of the Social-Democrats: They will have to change their outward attitude toward the Emperor. It is the custom in the German Roichstag to elect the first president from the strongest party-in this case the Centre, party-and the second president from the second strongest. In order to avoid the election of a Socialist vice-president they resorted in the former Reichstag to the doubtful expedient of treating the Conservatives and Free Conservatives as one party, so that a Conservative might be elected as first vice-president. This would not do now, as the Social-Democrats, with their eighty-one members. are stronger than the combined Conservatives and Free Conservatives. If the Social-Democrats, therefore, claim the right of nominating the vice-president, the other value purchased and consultations arranged parties can scarcely refuse, without making thomselves guilty of a blunt and gross: violation of the traditions of the House. On the other hand, however, the Socialists would have to abandon the anti-monarchical demonstrations they are in the habit of making in Parliament. The Emperor William has always entered into personal intercourse with the three presidents of the Reichstag. He receives them on various occasions, and invites them to his festivities. One can not, therefore, expect the other parties to elect a Socialist vicepresident who refuses to visit the Emperor or who demonstratively leaves the Reichstag when cheers are proposed for the

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#### A Relic of Andre.

A. B. Keeler, who four years ago se out by way of Edmonton to follow the great water courses of Mackenzie River to the Arctic Circle, has arrived in Vancouver and brought a portion of the silk such as used in the construction of Andree's balloon.

#### Germans First as Readers.

According to recent statistics, Germamy heads the list as a reading nation, and Russia is falling to zero. In 1893, 23,607 books were published in Germany, as compared with 8,082 in Russia. In regard to newspapers, the inhabitants of the United States are catered to by 22,000 journals, while Russia, with a population of 130,000,000, has only 80°. The figures are easily accounted for by the censorship. Germany the actual number of professional writers is estimated at 12,000, of whom 400 are posts. In behalf of France the assertion is made that she provides the international literature, inasmuch as half the copies of French novels printed are exported, while two-thirds of her historic and scientific works also cross the frontier.

#### Modern Daniel in a Balloon.

M. Henri, a lion tamer, accompanied by MM. Wellat and Du Chateau, aeronauts, ascended on August 2, from Roubaix in a balloon with a special car, in which were two lious, the men sitting on a platform above. The animals displayed little interest at the outset, settling themselves comfortably and even seeming to enjoy the trip, but when the balloon was released and shot upwards they became terrified, crouched at the bottom of the car, and whined piteously. Soon afterward a sudden rush of gas nearly sufficited both men and animals. M. Du Chateau fainted, and the others were made ill. The lions lay motionless, and when the balloon descended they were stretched on the floor, apparently lifeless. 3 p.m. They slowly recovered, however. Restoratives were necessary for M. Du Chateau.

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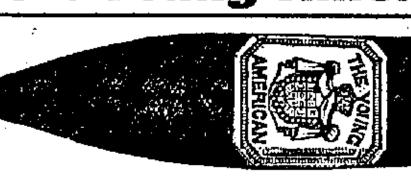
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Amphitrite	cruiser, 1st class	11,000	16	18,000	Capt. Charles Windham. C.V.O.	Weihaiwel
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Blenheim	cruiser, 1st class	9000	12	13,000	Captain F. G. Stopford	Weihaiwei
Bramble	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	Lieut. Com. F. M. Leake	Weihalwel
ritomart	gunpoat, 1st class	710	6	1300	LieutComdr. T. D. Pratt	<u>H</u> ongkong
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spièglo	aloop	1070	10	1400	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Weihaiwel
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Glory	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain W. A. Carter	Weihaiwel
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Argus	French gunboat				Capt. Crespin	Canton
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Avalanche	French gunboat	580			Lieut. Heron	Haiphong Haiphong
Bengali	French gunboat French cruiser	3740	29	9000	Capt. Lafevre	Shangani
Bugeaud "	French cruiser	8018	18		- Captain de Pampelonne	Saigon
Chateaurenault Comete	French gunboat	525			Commander Louel	Haiphong
Decidés	French gunboat	690	i — I		Commander Guthse	Canton
Kersaint	French gunboat	1250	6	2200	Capt. Le Golleur	Hoihow
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Pascal	French cruiser French cruiser	9437	8	6071		Saigon
Redoubtable	French cruiser	1796	10	_	Capt. Vincents	Saigon
Styx	French gunbost	629	2	1900	Captain Thomas	Yangtee =
Surprise Takiang	French gunboat		<u> </u>	\ \		Yungtse
Takou	French destroyer		<del>-</del>	!	Lieut. Gaillard	Saigon
Vauban	French cruiser	<del></del>	<b> </b> -	<del></del>	Captain Blondel	Along Bay
Vigilant	French gunboat	400	4	441	Lieut. Carol Co ndr. Villeneuve	Canton
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Hansa Hertha	German cruiser	6000	37	10,000	Capt. Ingenohl	Amoy
Iltis	German gunboat	1000	10	1300	Count Commander Platen	Swatow
Jaguar	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Wilbrandt Comdr. Kroencke	Shanghai
Luchs	German gunboat	850	10 15	2800	Comdr. Hoffmann	Amoy
Sceadler	German cruiser	1640	10	1300	Comdr. Schrader	Nanking Hongkong
Tiger	German gunboat German gunboat	300	1 -	1000	LieutComdr. von Weise	Shanghai
Vorwaerts	German cruiser		_		. Captain Dick	Shanghat
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Lombardia	Italian cruiser	2380	24	6843	Captain Paatorelli	Singapore
Piomonto	/ Italian cruiser	2427	31	12,000	Captain Armona	Shanghai
Vesuvio	Italian cruiser	4500	24	6820	Captain Zezi	Shanghai
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Zaire	Portuguese gunboat				Cupe. 2. U. Barboza Real	ortogon.
	Russian gunboat	810	6	730	Comdr. Guinter	Vladivostoch
Alcout	Russian cruiser	2600	5	4700	Comdr. Gramatchikoff	Port Arthur
Amaur	Russian craiser	6000	27	ļ <u> </u>	Capt. Reitzenschtein	Kobe
Askold	Russian cruiser	3200	6			Port Arthur
Bayarin Bobre	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1150	Comdr. Erjeckovitch	Shanghai
Bogatyr	Russian cruiser	6640	12	-		Port Arthur
Diana	Russian cruiser	6731 500	9	3500	Comdr. Yourieff	Port Arthur Port Arthur
Gaidamak	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Zagarausky	Shanghai
Gremiastchy	Russian gunboat Russian battleship	12,364	44	14,500	Captain Jessen	Nagasaki
Gromoboic	Russian gunboat	1000	មី	1000	Comdr. Shumoff	Shanghai
Guiliak	Russian gunboat	1213	7	1500.	Comdr. Novakowsky	Nanking
Koreetz_ Mandjour	Russian gunboat	1224	7	1400	Commander Muravief	Shanghai
Otvajuy	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Vasilieff	Port Arthur
Pallada	Russian cruiser	6731	12	14.500	Captain Koroleff	Port Arthur
Peresviet	Russian battleship	12,674 $10,960$	15	14,500 10,600	Captain Jakovleff	Nagasak! Port Arthu
Petropavlovsk	Russian battleship Russian battleship	19.654		11.500	Caut Zatzarcieng	Port Arthu
Pobeda	Russian battleship	10,960		10.000	Captian Operoff	Port Arthu
Poltava	Russian cruiser	1334		1786	Comdr. Liven	Kwongchauwan
Rasboynicz Retwizan	Russian battleship	12,902		16,000		Port Arthur
Rossia	Russian protected craiser	12,200	68	17,000	Captain Sépelrennipofi	Viadivostock
Rurik	Russian protected cruiser	10,923	26	13,250	Capt. Matusevich	Masampo
Sevustopol	Russian battleship	10,960		10,600 1125	Captain Serebrennikoff LieutComdr. Ivanoff	Nagasaki Post-Ab-
Silatch	Russian gunboat	950 1050	1 1	1120	Comdr. Ginter	Port Arthur Port Arthur
Sivoetch	Russian gunboat Russian cruiser	6500		20,000	Capt. Bahr	Port Arthu
Varyag	Russian gunboat	500		3300	Comdr. Zagoriansky-Kissal	Port Arthur
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Callao	U. S. cruiser	235		.] —	Lieut. E. A. Anderson Capt. H. E. Mason	Hongkong (1)
Cincinnati	U. S. gunboat	3213	1			Chefoo
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*Kentucky	U. S. flagship U. S. monitor	3990		3000	Captain Mahan	
Monadnock	U. S. gunboat	1370	١	850	Comdr. Denfield	Take
Monocacy	U. S. monitor	4084	4	5244	Comdr. W. H. Beehler	
Monterey New Orleans		3437	20		Commander Blocklinger	Amoy
Oregon	U. S. cruiser	10,288		<b>–</b>	Captain Burwell	-
Raleigh	U. S. cruiser	3213		1110	Captain Nazro Commander Marshall	Chefoo
Vickeburg	U. S. cruiser	1000		1118	Lieut. L. C. Bertolette	
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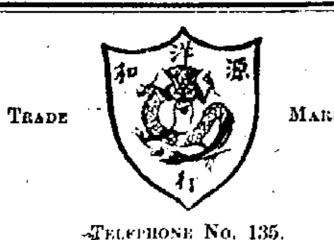
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BIRTH. On September 6, at No. 2, French Bund, Shanghai, the wife of EDWARD T. Notes by the Way. J. BLOUNT, of a Son. DEATH.

On September 6, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, WILHELM ONNERBERG, 2nd Officer, C.M.S.N. Co., aged 53 years.

FOr The publication of this issue commenced at 5.15 p m

The China Mail.

BONGKONG, FRIDAY, BEPTEMBER 11, 1903,

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The best Gin on Rat Catching. the Market, its

Sanitary Board, the President, speak ing on the rat return, said that more rats were being caught in houses than formerly, despite the fact that the total number caught was smaller. The number caught in houses during the last three weeks were four, eighty-three and seventy-one. the fortnight ending September 7, 653 rats were destroyed, twenty-two being infected with plague.

A Possible Typhoon.

point downwards, was hoisted this to-day. morning, and the junks and sampans in the harbour as usual at once commenced a movement to Causeway Bay. Shortly after 11 o'clock the Acting Director of the Hong. kong, Observatory, Mr F. G. Figg, issued Goods per Pekin not cleared at 4 p.m. the following warning: - The depression in the China Sea to the Southward of early next year. 11.30 a.m. - Meeting of The Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving & Dyeing | Hongkong is apparently becoming deeper. and may give rise to bad weather in the Goods per Australien unclaimed after this

date at Noon will be subject to rent A Correction. In our Football Notes by 'Off-Side' in last night's issue, a mistake occurred which Transfer Books of Douglas Steamship econed to cast a reflection on the Captain of the Hongkong F. C. Association team. He Goods per Wakasa Maru not cleared on was there referred to as 'the wordy captain.' All who know Captain Bonnar know how inapplicable is the adjective, which Goods per Simla not cleared at 4 p.m. should have been 'worthy.' Some of our readers may have puzzled over the phrase Noon, -Meeting of Shareholders of the 'last year's slars.' Of course what "Off-Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., at the Side 'tried to say was 'last year's starts,

Band at the Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Major Radeliff and Officers, the Band of the 33rd Burma Infantry will play the following programm at the Hongkong Hotel, to-morrow (Sa turday) evening, from 8 to 9.30 p.m.:-March... 'The Rifle Regiment' .....Souzz Overture . Margherita d'Anjou Meyerbeer Selection . 'Kitty Grey' ...... Monckton Song..... Ständchen ......Schubert Selection. 'Reminiscences of

but the wily Chinese compositor defeated

Nocturne...' L'Esperance ' ....... Archer GOD SAVE THE KING.

The County Cricket Championship.

The following table shows the position of the English counties down to 27th August

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Figures in brackets represent position last year.

Whisky.

WHISKY

Tolstoi's Famous Pamphlet. Tolstoi, in his famous pamphlet Thou Shalt Not Kill, lately confiscated by the chists and others to abandon the useless measure of murdering kings, which, the says, never yet brought about a reform. At the same time he cautions the monarchs he says, have no business to strut about in uniform all the time, conveying the impression that violence is their chief the finest WHISKIES! concern. Tolstoi opines that Kings will be distilled in SCOTLAND, of great age, at the mercy of cranks as long as the feelish and dangerous notion of militarism is upheld and propagated. Militarism, Pronounced by Connoisseurs to be the says Tolsoi, breeds lust for murder. There was not the slightest used in killing Alexander, Carnot and Humbert; the thing to do was to demonstrate to these centlemen the foolishness of their ways and kings have their uses, that, at any rate, I ties take no chances of this kind. they have the right to live. . On the other and, the nations have the right to expect that their rulers emancipate themselves from the hordes of evil-minded sycophants that surround them.

> testimony to the truly wonderful cures effected. skill have brought to light.' Sufferers from Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples and Sores of any kind are solicited to give it a trial to test its value 588 of worthless imitations and substitute

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Major Cox is appointed second-in-command, 12th Burma Infantry.

Dr Aldo Castellani has been appointed Director of the Bacteriological Institute at | extent of \$1,370 were imposed. Colombo,

A Simla telegram states that transport will be engaged locally at Tientsin for sending back men and stores to India.

King Edward and the Tsar meet at Copenhagen in the middle of this month and will be the guests of King Christian.

A farewell dance is to be given to Lady Ridgeway at the Hill Club, Nuwara Eliya, on her departure from Colombo.

The N. Y. K. steamer Wakası Maru Yesterday afternoon at the meeting of which arrived here on the 9th inst. from London, had on board 288 boxes of silver coin for the Far East

> The Secretary of State has approved of the delocalisation of the 21st Bombay Infantry, its conversion into a Pioneer Corps, and its linking with the 17th Bombay Pioneers.

Chan Kwai had 230 mat bags in his possession, and being unable to give a reasonable account of how he came by them, The weather has assumed a somewhat he was fined \$50 or two months' gaol, by threatening look. The black cone, Mr T. Sercombe Smith at the Magistracy

The engagement is announced of Mr Herbert Price (of Messrs H. Price and Co., of Hongkong and Manila) and Ethel, third daughter of Sir John Durston, K.C.B. We understand the marriage will take place

It is reported from Simla that in future army officers who have not passed the lower standard in Urdu will be prohibited from going out shooting unless accompanied by another officer who has passed, or by a native interpreter.

Colony Command. Sir Archibald Hunter has accepted the Bengal Command. Indian papers state that there is a mistake in the foregoing which is part of a telegram from Simla, and suggest that General Hunter probably goes to Madras.

The Shameen Fiasco.

We understand that the little trouble which had arisen, and been fomented, on Shameen has been satisfactorily arranged. Owing to some coolies having behaved insolently on the British Concession, the Municipal Council issued a notice regulating the influx of Chinese on Shameen, This notice was mis understood by the Chinese, and matters were not improved by the attitude of several non-British for- Alleged Perjury. eigners. Now, however, the incident may be said to have closed. Consul-General Scott and the Municipal Council come out of the affair with honour.

A Notable Wedding.

riage in Johannesburg of Maria Francis Hett raised the point of law that vaal, it ought to be large. Indeed, the allowed. driver of the Scotch engine chould in that case have sufficient money to buy an engine | Newly Discovered Rays. of his own; but details are wanting.

Siberian Railway Break-down

No doubt the closing of the Siberian railway, which we reported a few days ago, is explained by the following from a Shang-Jerman Government, admonishes Anar- hai exchange of September 7:--The unfortunate passengers who left Shanghai last week for Europevia the Traus-Siberian line have had a musty and costly experience, which might easily have been avoided by of the world to teach their sons something the agents here advising applicants for energy unaltered, increases their frequency, better than the profession of arms. Kings, tickets that the line was not working. A heavy wash-out, owing to floods, occurred about 250 miles north of Dalny to increase the luminosity of a body at the and a train was wrecked, completely expense of its temperature brings us neare blocking the way, so that people to a solution of the great problem of the who should have gone on last week, economical production of light. including many passengers from Shanghai and North China, were unable to proceed. | Crocodile-Not Alligator. They are now either waiting at Port Arthur at heavy cost in hotel bills or going on to-Vladivostock in order to get round break and catch the train at the other side of Manchuria. In either case all the extra cost, which is not small, has to be borne by tion is of evil. Let it be understood that the victims, as the Russian railway authori-

Natural Modesty.

THE natural modesty of many people who have used Chamberlain's Colic Diarrhoea Remedy for Diarrhoea, Dysentery, etc., with splendid results, make them hesitate about giving their For the past quarter of a century there has opinion for publicity. Still these same been one continuous flow of letters bearing people have done much to make Chamber by Clarke's World famed Blood Mixture, 'the household word, for they have by word of finest Blood Purifier that science and medical mouth informed their friends what a good medicine it is to have in the house. used, always kept, follows this medicine around the world. For sale by all chemists Sold-everywhere, at 22, 9d. per bottle. Beware and medicine vendors: WATEINS Ltd., E24 General Agents.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Limewashing Houses.

For the fortnight ended September 1 a total of 4,829 houses were limewashed, of these 3,199 were in the Western and 1,630 in the Eastern District. Fines to the

War Rumours.

A Peking despatch to the Jiji says that the war rumours from Russian sources are subsiding; but many military officers in North China are sending away their families and the Chinese coolies in Manchuria are leaving the districts in large numbers.

Russia on the Yalu.

Ye Ka-ju, Corean Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, has been appointed Acting Foreign Minister. It is generally believed that M. Pavloff intends to push on with the works in progress at Ryong-an and on the Upper Yalu, in spite of his failure to accomplish his ends by diplomatic means.

Obstructing Boats.

On the 4th instant Inspector Langley proceeded against the masters of the steam launches Ying Fat and Hung Yik on charge of obstruction. Mr T. Sercombe | costain its origin and place of despatch. Smith on that occasion reserved judgment. To-day at the Magistracy he imposed a fine of \$25 in each case.

Russia's Leave Taking.

The Tientsin Talmingpuo states that Prince Ching has recently made a secret agreement in the name of the Empress Downger to allow Russia to hold Manchuria for fifteen years, after which the three provinces are to be returned to China without any conditions attached thereto. The Takungpao therefore does not expect to see Manchuria freed from Russian rule unti the millennium.

Rebellion Spreading.

The Sin Wan Po says that the Poking Grand Council has been informed by the Hunan authorities that the sub-prefectural city of Chinchow of that Province has been taken by the rebels and the present whereabouts and condition of the subprefect is unknown. Peking has again been informed General Settle has resigned the Cape by telegraph that the District city of Peihsien in Kwangtung, has likewise been taken by the insurgents.

Band at King Edward Hotel.

By kind permission of Major Radeliff and Officers, the Band of the 33rd Burms Infantry will play the following programme of music at the above Hotel, during dinner, to-night, Friday, the 11th inst. (weather permitting):-Overture....'Tancredi'......Rossini

March..... Wolverine ...... Souza Selection ... 'The Geisha' ..... Sidney Jones Song ..... Beloved. It is niorn' ......Florence Aylward Selection ... 'The Sultan of Mocha '.. Cellier Valtz...... Gypsies' ...... Crowe Polanaise ... ' Hoffball '......Gung'l GOD SAVE THE KING.

The case against Mola Singh, Indian Constable 643, who was remanded on a charge of perjury some days ago, was rethe Magistracy to-day. Mr C. D. Thompson appeared for the presecution and Mr

F. P. Hett represented the defend-A Lanarkshire paper records the mar- pant. After the evidence was led Mr F. P. Kruger, second daughter of ex-President secure a prima facie case intention to de-Kruger of the Transvaal, to an engine- cieve must be proven. It was immateria driver in Scotland. There are those, says as to whether the statement was true or the Mining World, who are enquiring what false, if the intention to decieve was want is the marriage portion which has been ing. His Worship held that a prima facie given to this lady, and it is pointed out case had been made out and committed the that if it is in proportion to what the accused to take his trial at the next ex-President took with him from the Trans- Criminal Sessions, bail in \$100 being

Various newly-discovered rays of sur prising properties have been disclosed in the 'n' rays recently discovered by M Blondot. They have been found capable of raising the luminosity of glowing solid or gas without raising the temperature thereof More light without more heat may be re garded as something of a paradox. An ar ticle in the Electrician commenting on this, says there seems to be, under the influence of the 'n' rays, some modification of the atomic vibrations which, while leaving their In any case, the fact itself is of great importance and interest. Anything tendin

Reptiles are generally misnamed (says

writer in the Pinang Gazette.) Why is it that the average man will always refer to our local saurians as alligators? There is no such thing as an alligator in the Straits Settlements. They are all crocodiles. The alligtorsa are confined to the New World, with the exception of a very small and insignificant species which has now and again been taken on the Yangtsze River in North China. This is the only recorded instance of an alligator being taken outside America. Perhaps it doesn't trouble the victim much whother he is eaten by one or the other but to one who dabbles in natural history lain's Colic and Diarrheea Remedy a it produces a cold shiver down the spine to hear the crocodile called by the name of his American Cousin. How would the average Englishman like to hear a Frenchman refer to his countrymen collectively as Jonathan

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S BERVICE.] THE BALKAN TROUBLE.

Hiding in the Mountains.

LONDON, September 9. It is estimated in Sofia that 150,000 women, children, and old men, are hiding in the forests and mountains of Macedonia, The Turks are stated to be burning the forests and killing the fugitives whenever they attempt to escape from the flames.

According to Bulgarian accounts from 30,000 to 50,000 Bulgarian inhabitants of Monastir are believed to have been massacred by the Turks.

RESULT OF THE ST. LEGER. Rock Sand.

2. William Rufus.

RUSSIAN DUTIES ON TEA. Russia has raised the duty on Ceylon and Indian teas imported through the European frontier or the Black Sea, from 313 roubles per pood to 33 roubles.

The duty on Chinese Ten is not raised. but frock regulations are instituted to

[N.-C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.] A GLEAM OF LIGHT FROM SERVIA.

London, September 5. It is stated that seven hundred Servian officers have signed a petition to King Peter Karageorgevitch, praying for punishment of the murderers of King Alexander, otherwise they will have to deal with the murderers themselves. In the for his assailant. Inspector Robertson, meantime a number of officers have been arrested, forty-seven in Nish alone, ---

Nish is in the south-east of Servin-Ed.

DER OSTASIATISCHE LLOYD SERVICE. THE CZAR,

Berlin, September 3. The Csar will visit Vienna on the 30th August (sic). Count Goluchowski and lowered his end of the chair, and accused Count Lamsdorff, and also perhaps the Ambassadors of both Empires at Constantinople, Baron Calice and Privy Councillor that a European had shot Ng Kam. In Sinoview will take part in the interviews company with Sergeant Moore he returned Sinowjew, will take part in the interviews of the two Emperors. the accused at the top of Mount Austin-

THE KAISER HUNTS.

H. M. the Kaiser will, after the nanceuvres in Saxony, go on a hunting excursion to Hungary and will visit Em peror Franz Joseph on the 18th inst., and then go to Rominten.

GERMANY SATISFIED.

September 5. The German newspapers are receiving with great satisfaction the latest statement The wound in the arm could have been caused with the bullet produced. He did of the Japanesé Minister in London, Baro Hayashi, in regard to the peaceful relations between Russia and Japan.

WAR WITH TURKEY.

Bulgaria seems to be very desirous to similar to the bullets in the undischarged commence war with Turkey. All the sumed before Mr T. Sercombe Smith at Powers are now warning the Bulgarian Government to preserve peace.

SERVIAN TROUBLES. A sharply pronounced schism is notice between the military officers of all Servian garrisons in favour of, and in opposition to, the murderers of the late King Alexander. The Government has taken far-reaching measures against an eventual con-

Chinese on Strike.

A Tientsin vernacular paper hears that, on August 25, owing to a foreign employee of the Peking Syndicate, in charge of the railway office at Tack'ou, Shansi ing morning he read the charge to Vinprovince, assaulting a native clerk in the cenez, but he made no statement. same office, the matter caused great indignation amongst the rest of the native that he did not wish to wound the Chinastaff, and a strike of all Chinese connected with the railway was at once called, got to the Peak it was raining, and he which consequently took place. It is reported that the dismissal of the foreign employee is demanded before the Chinese concerned will consent to return to work.

Mrs Maybrick.

Yesterday (says the Daily Mail of the 6th ult.) Mrs Florence Maybrick completed fourteen years of her sentence, and, subject and tell the police. The shooting took to good conduct, will be released on July 26th next year. She is now in her forty- out the wounds caused by the first and second year, and enjoys good health. She has been chiefly occupied in Aylesbury gool in bookbinding. The judge who tried her at the Liverpool assizes and the counsel who defended her, Lord Russell of Killowen, are both dead. Her two children now nearing twenty years of age. On release Mrs Maybrick intends proceeding to America to prosecute the claims of her mother, the Baroness von Roques, ar herself to property valued at over a million

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CORRESPONDENCE.

CONCRETE-OR ABSTRACT. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MATL.'

. Kowloon, September 11. SIR,-From the report of the Sanitary Board meeting held yesterday, it would appear that the Director of Public Works has very vague ideas regarding 'abstract' and 'concrete.' Is it not possible that he may have been using the former instead of the latter in making (?) the roads on this side. Hi Yah! Never mind, there is always water at the Peak.' That's one great consideration .- Yours, etc., KOWLOON SIDE.

THE PEAK SENSATION.

Vincenez Before the Court. Curt Vincener, who shot a chair cooliet the Peak on the 3rd inst. was charged. before Mr J. H. Kemp, at the Magistracy to-day with shooting with intent to murder. Ng Kam, the victim, deposed that on-Thursday last he and Ng Lai Ching were

at the Peak Tramway Station, Accused. hired them to take him to the flags. staff, and about 2.45 they commenced the ascent. On arrival at the flagstage accused got out of the chair. It was raining at the time, and, after telling them to wait. Vincenez went for a walk. After some little time he returned and seating himself in the chair again, ordered them to return to the Tram Station. Nothing unusual occurred during the descent until they were near a big rock, when

witness heard the roport of a firearm, and immediately felt a stinging sensation in his leg. Another shot followed, which struck him on the arm, and he fell down, All he knew was that his foki took him to the Police Station. On arrival there be reported he had been wounded, and Sergeant Moore, in company with his foki, went to search who had been telephoned for, arrived at the

Station and dressed witness' wounds. He was then conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital, where he was examined by Dr. Laing. Ng Lai Ching corroborated the first witness' evidence. They were near Mountain Lodge, he said, when he heard the rovolver shot, and he saw accused with the

still smoking weapon in his hand. Almost immediately he heard another shot, and saw Ng Kam fall to the ground. got out and stood by the fallen coolie. He went with Ng Kam to the Police station and reported to Sergeant Moore nlong Peak road, and the officer arrested.

Barracks. Witness saw the revolver (produced) handed over to Sergeant Moore b**y** Vincenez.

Dr Laing, Assistant Superintendent, Government Civil Hospital, said that at about 6.30 p.m. on the 3rd instant, a Chinese coolie was admitted to the Hospital. He identified Ng Kam as the coolie admitted. He examined him and found him suffering from a bullet wound in the right arm, a small abrasion on the right hip about the size of a shilling, and another abrasion on the right shoulder blade of about the same size. He was weak from loss of I blood from the bullet wound in his arm.

not think there would be any likelihood of any serious complications or permanent injuries arising from the effects of the wounds. A native was next examined and produced a bullet, which he said he found near the scene of the shooting. The bullet was

Sergeant Moore said that after the two coolies came to the station he went with one of them and arrested Vincenez near the top of Mount Austin Barracks He asked him if there was anything wrong, and accused replied, 'Yes, I have shot a Chinaman! He handed witness the revolver (produced), which was then loaded in four chambers. Two chambers had recently been discharged. A native came up and gave him a bullet which he said he found on the road. Witness did not notice anything strange in accused's appearance. At the Station, when the coolie was being examined. Vincenez said (pointing to the wounds on the man's body) 'The first shot hit him on the hip; the

second lodged in his arm. Inspector Robertson deposed to dressing the coolie's wounds, and having him removed to the Hospital. While dressing his wounds a bullet fell from his clothing covered with fresh blood. On the follow-

When asked by the Magistrate if he desired to make a statement Vinconez said man. It was a real accident: he did not aim at the man. When he went into the Signal house. The coolie followed him in and went to sleep on a chair. The Signalman was the in Signal-house part of the time he was there, but went away, leaving the coolie and Vincencz together. After the rain ceased he re-entered the chair, and started to go back. As soon as the first shot went off he got out of the chair. He saw the man was wounded after the second shot, and told the other to take him to the Police Station, place just near a house and Guard room. Witness on arriving at the station pointed

Accused was committed to take his trial it the next Court of Criminal Sessions.

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> Temperature. Hongkone, September 11, 1903.

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#### an unhappy family.

#### More Sanitary Board Dissatisfaction.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday afternoon, when correspondence relative to the prohibition against importation of dogs from Shanshai wes under consideration, the President pointed out that at a provious meeting the Board had resolved that in the event of no cases of rabies having occurred since February 3 the prohibition against the importation of dogs should be withdrawn. This resolution where snow gleams on the mountain tops had been conveyed to the Government, and when the white winter of the North peeps on the Government communicating with at the tropics over high walls. Easy navithe Consul at Shanghai, it was found that gution of either river is not found twelve cases had occurred, consequently vory far above Wuchow. Steam launches the President took it for granted that the may go a day's journey, but geneprohibition should continue, and advised | rally speaking, men and merchandise the Government to that effect.

of individual members of the Board in sending reports to the Government without the consent of the full Board. had no recollection of the Board having made any decision such as that. When the question came before the Board in July last, he spoke in favour of the prohibition being withdrawn, especially as the sheeting season was now on, and sportsmen going to Shanghai would be prevented from bringing their dogs back. The Consul's letter was very vague, and he. thought Mr Mansfield (the Consul) should have been asked for further paticulars. In any case the matter should have been submitted to the full Board. On other occasions he had been forced to refer to the actions of individual members. He wanted to call the attention of the Board to the fact that a certain decision had been made by the Board. The Secretary of the Board had written to the Colonial Secretary to the effect that in view of the report sent in the Board would not recommend the removal of the prohibition against dogs. He contended that no decision should be submitted to the Government unless it had first received the sanction of the full Board. There was no security in the future for the members of the Board. the event of a decision being arrived at, one or two members of the Board might take it upon themselves to send to the Government a differing report.

The Hon. H. E. Pollock said that he quite agreed with the action of Mr Howett. Before anything was communicated to the Government it should have been agreed to by the full Board.

The Hon. Dr J. M. Atkinson (President said he thought that there was some misunderstanding on the part of Mr Hewett with reference to the matter. The Board had considered the question and resolved to recommend the withdrawal of the prohibition, provided that no cases of rabies had been reported. On learning that the disease was still prevalent, he took it upon himself to conclude that it was the decision of the Board that the prohibition should be continued.

The Hon. W. Chatham supported the action of the President in the matter, and submitted that in cases of urgency, such as this, the President had only done what was right. The decision of the Boardata previous meeting meant, if it meant anything at all, that the prohibition was to be maintained, if there were any cases of rabies occur ring. As rabies had occurred since the date mentioned, the action of the President

waa justifiable. The President then proceeded to conduct forther business, when Mr Hewett asked if the matter was to end there. The Hon. Mr Pollock thought there

should be some motion before the Board as a certain communication had been made to the Government with reference to what the Board would recommend the effect of which would last six months. A motion was necessary to legalise the action of the

It was pointed out that the Government had already extended the prohibition on the recommendation of the Board, and Mr Hewett said that he was not satisfied with the explanation put forth by the President and thought a motion was in order. The President then moved that his acion be endorsed by the Board. Captain Lyons seconded and the motion was carried by a majority. Ron. Mr Pollock, Mr Hewett and Mr Fung Wa Chun voted against it.

#### The Light that Failed.'

"The light went out at midnight," was the excuse tendered by a native, when harged at the Magistracy with neglecting o exhibit a white light on his junk at night. Mr T. Screombe Smith imposed ine of \$10, in default sevendays' imprison-

#### Coylon's Governorship.

The Times of Ceylon of the 28th ult. ays:—In the absence of any information to an abrupt end by a ravine which cuts egarding H.E. the Governor's successor, it off on the east. Across the ravine t is, of course, not known how long the does not put one foot; though the forenteregnum will last. The name of the new Governor will probably be made pubic next month. Sir West Rideway's name as successor to Sir Arthur Havelock was the green foreshore is a precious bit of announced two clear months before Sir Arthur left, after which Sir E. Noel Walker ation: isolated from the city by a ravine; idministered the Government for nearly back-grounded by the hills, and directly four months. On the Lieut.-Governor as opposite the guardian pagoda. This green the storm; and from the windows we saw little picture, however, is but a Mr F. R. Ellis will, of course, act as with the city so completely cut off from it, Colonial Secretary, possibly in addition to is exactly the thing for foreign residents. his own duties, as the Hon. Mr W. T. It has waited for them who shall say of the first-class will, however, have arrived spacious green houses upon it, which stand by then, namely, Messrs. H. Wace, G. M. Fowler and W. H. Jackson, though the Hon. Mr C. A. Marray will go on leave about the end of October.

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#### WUCHOW IN AUGUST.

(Special to the 'China Mail.') Canton, September 7.

province, amid a tumultuous sea of hills, the West River and the Fu River meeting form a Y, on the under angle of which is Wuchow City. The Y is written with somewhat of a flourish, for the West River comes curving three hundred miles South West from Nanning, while the Fu flows due North from Kwai Lum, the capital, come under slow sail and by weary pole to at the rapids, and though not yet at the end of their wondrous patience still quite roady to proceed in the wake of steam to Canton or Hongkong.

Wuchow is a modest-looking city in quaker garb of grey, though it is said that I its under-clothing leaves much to be desirshadows of hills on a flat piece of land, upon an angle made by the junction of the rivers. I had seen it long before as part of the black country of the camera. There it appeared as a low-built black town at the foot of black heights, its foreshore crowded with black sampans and junks. When will the photographic dawn arise and the ordinary camera give us colours :

Who would have guessed from a photo graph that the Fu river is a dark green and the West River a red-brown, and that the mingling of these two off the corner of the grey city is like freshness pouring itself into decay. Then again the camera fails to give us what is behind it; one could have had no idea that over against the junction of the rivers, facing that crowded somewhat noisy corner-Wuchow city-there is a long range of quiet, moss-green hills, nicked to the red here and there to show where past generations are sleeping. This is the meditative side of Wuchow, and these silent hills are, at a high point, opposite the eastern suburbs, topped with a stately | they did not know much about. pagoda from which at certain times a reversed fan of light and shade is ranged downwards to the miniature cliffs by which the red river runs sixty feet deep at low water. Boats avoid that side -- though one would fancy that junks might anchor there by tying up to stout pegs driven into the face of the hill, as they do on the steep bank of the Fu river.

All the bustle of business, and debris of battered sampans and rafts, however, cling to the cise side where there is a foreshore. said, by the early navigators of 1895, to stretch 150 yards in from low-water-mark. It is not easy to describe that foreshore. with a medley of mud-coloured objects on a mud-coloured canvas. Yet the patient eye will learn much of the industries and resources of Wuchow by studying that broad stage of Chinese life. There, apparently, you come across everything and everyone of importance mingled with great deal that is of no importance in the way of rubbish. You may watch new boats being built, and new rope being twisted. You will meet even the literary man shading his eyes with his fan and lifting his silken robe carefully. You will certainly meet the phlegmatic and experienced of Wuchow in his overcoa of caked mud, his back hollowed almos to the ground, as if some one had tried extinguish him by sitting upon him, and had failed. We will also not fail to encounter the shrewd, light-yellow dog with his tail cheerfully erect, and his small sharp eyes taking in all that is of interest

What a few days of rain does for this by those who are accustomed only to mua mixed with water-for the Wachow mud is mixed with oil!

The city with its frontage of miserable-looking little ed on half-rotten stocks is brought shore continues - green now as a lawnuntil the crowding hills cut it off: by coming sheer to the water's edge. Behind level land covered with luxurious vegetcontrol in November next, the Hon. | suburb so conveniently near the city. Taylor did when acting on Sir E. Noel through how many centuries, and now they Walker's departure. Three Civil Servants | have come to it! They have built some out well against the hill, and look like a

bit of Hongkong. In the midst of it is their tennis lawnand cricket ground, and behind them is their Club—as yet only a wooden houseand at the base of the hills is a magnificent natural rifle sange which might have been specially made for them. The river-gunboats anchor opposite the suburb when they come up and make good use of the rifle range, for, any day at four o'clock the 'handy man' may be seen jumping into s sampan, grasping his rifle and calling to his

comrades to 'hurry up.' There is not much level land in Wuchow. and level land is as precious in the eyes of the inhabitants as a clearing in Canada; any bit of flat ground between the folds of the hills is carefully utilised. If you admire the mountain scenery the Chinaman flour and coal have been imported in in- in the air of the place.

elephants. 'A mountain is of no use,' he had increased steadily since 1900. This is replies, sadly, to your enthusiasm. It is to probably owing to the famine. him but pedestal for a pagoda or a steep Turning to the exports we find that catgraveyard where the dead have the high the have been experted in great numbers and dry accommodation which the living this year-far in excess of 1900 when only Within the borders of the Kwang-sai demand amongst us. There are several low three or, four hundred were sent down

sidences. They are to be had easily I be. ninety-nine were exported. lieve, as the Chinese don't value them, Only a third of the hides came down this wide-spread damage to the harvest though building on them would probably year as compared with last year, though man however, who can build his house in

Over across the Fu river, on an angle; compound walls give a battlemented aspect ghastly drift of civil strife further up. at its feet. One is not at all surprised that though, and the natural inference is that Pesth to Constantinople Two carriages the Chinese declared it to be a fort; one there is a good deal of over-crowding in were wrecked, and seven passengers were would expect an ancient Greek to say that that already too-crowded city, and a city killed and eighteen injured. it was an acropolis; while Sir Harry Parkes | moreover with such notoriously-bad there on hill and level ground. There are the consular offices and gaol and the American Baptist Missionary Society's hospital, which stand down among the vagrant train on the foreshore-a substantial building sensibly buttressed with masonry, and which makes an admirable object lesson for its ricketty neighbours

supported on their half-rotten stocks. There are from twenty-five to thirty foreign residents in Wuchow who all know each other very well, but who do not seem | it is with Wuchow. Unless a flood occurs to foregather much-at all events not in August-perhaps not at any time, for it is a community of men mostly, and that the floods of the Fu and West rivers. means work. The flash of the decoying petticoat is rare. One could fancy that if | chow and to altogether avoid the city, | injured. any of these laborious male workers had unless you happen to be a woman and can. Approaching General Election at to enter that article in their dry lists of not rest until you have bought something. mports they might mis-spell it like George Meredith's schoolboys, who spelt it 'pety | morning in that very dirty town, and found coat,' and were excused, it being a thing some interesting shops in which we amus-

There is an entire absence of class distinction which is perhaps also partly owing and drawing-rooms ornaments came from, a revision of of martial law sentences and to the absence of the petticoat. The Bri- In one shop we were shown some German not-fully-paid war compensation claims. He tish Consul and the Commissioner are the sewing cotton at remarkably low price, will appeal to the country as soon as urgent Gog and Magog of the port, and when a but I was told by an experienced need measures have been passed. gun-boat comes up a Triton joins them in lewoman that it snarls and breaks off most the person of the Captain-if you can excuse provokingly, and that English cotton is such mixed mythology. This is in the well worth the price asked for it. nature of things, but all they aim at in the There are several compradores social way is to be Englishmen and brothers | the city who supply to Englishmen (which term of course in- whose shops are lined with tinned cludes Americans and Europeans). There provisions, so that one need was an era in which the foreign brotherhood | starve. There is no foreign bank, though, -some on 'pontoons' and some in house- obliging dispositions of the residents and

boats and surrounded by a stout ledge. To any told me that a cheque of hers had been portion of territory in East Africa. It is delivery can be obtained as soon as the me it looked very like a Swiss châlet. A There is a want of colour ; what can one do row of these chalets is to be seen outside and superscription of the dragon. She Man and Nairobe. shore-clinging sampans. They are reached by true pontoons which bridge the distance between them and the shore. They are not now used as residences. One is the wharf alongside which the Canton steamers are berthed; another is the Customs House containing, beside the usual offices, the Library and Post-office. Next to it is the Customs' Bank where the revenue is collect-

ed and thence despatched to Poking. There are still two house-boats occupied by foreigners for want of accommodation on shore. These boats are completely swathed in matting as if the heat would be otherwise unbearable. At the first glance gypsying the country rather exhausting. Though considered healthy as residences, especially if anchored in a clean place, but later Dr. of heat and glare between the time when lengths, the same distance between second where a European and three of the Chinese finally plunged behind the hills of the unusual distance from the shore. Yet it quiet; or idly wonder why a junk with its foreshore may not altogether be imagined out the bilge, and had reported all clean. An inspection of the hold, however, dis- is attached, or let one's eye follow another hundreds of mosquitoes directly under and, up or down the river intent

directions from under Crusoe rain-cloaks for a good many pages of bare hill. and coolin-hats.

its membership most courteously to invigorating since it blows over the crests everyone. It contains a good collection of of such an ocean of hills. Such a view is readable books and on its table you find naturally fascinating, and close above you The Weekly Times, Punch, The Sketch, &c. too is Summer's sculpture gallery-with its Not the least interesting paper on the table noble faces and heroic horses cut in pure, is the current numbers of the Customs' white cloud against the blue sky. Gazette in its imperial yellow covers, within | But one should not linger until twilight which you may read the story of trade in There is ever a whisper of wailing in the the port for the first quarter of the present wind upon heights, and as darkness falls year, and see how it compares with each it may bring to one's mind too vividly the year since 1900 inclusive. During the first grave pard aspect of these ancient hills, three months of the present year you ob- Go down while the gentle peasants are still and a thousand of Japanese towels were level ground. They are watering their garimported. After that who dares to say dens and tying up their melon vines, while They have also this year imported over of Wuchow are notably polite towards for three hundred thousand cigarettes of the eigners-and the peace and good-will which second quality. They have obtained their exists, between foreigner and Chinaman Kerosene chiefly from Sumatra. Foreign there is one of the most refreshing elements

rather thinks that you are making fun of creasing quantities since 1900, though 1903 him. One must not praise a man's white shows a drop in several other imports which

hills in the immediate vicinity of Wuchow none in 1902; while for the first three which would make admirable sites for re- months of this year seven thousand and

involve interfering with graves-lucky is the this year there were a hundred more horns gloomy. -which is past my arithmetic! The Wuchow without disturbing either the liv. poultry sent down this year also exceeded the quantity sent in other years, being five times more than was sent in 1900. opposite that on which the city is built, immense trade is done in firewood which one of these heights. On a corner, is only what one expects on having seen shelf half way up there is a temple, but the the riven crowded with wood boats-their round head of the height is bald. The roofs of striking height covering tall stacks crown of that empty head has been boldly of wood-bundles, carefully packed to taken off, and a commanding plateau is utilise every inch of space. This report of the result, on which stands the British the trade is plainly encouraging, especially Consulate. Behind it on a twin summit is when one remembers that not only famin the Alliance Missionaries' Home of but anarchy have tended towards its Rest. The mere man in the street may complete blight. A resident told me that see that the Consulate occupies the he had counted as many as a hundred Mr E. A. Hewest objected to the action | Wuchow thankful to have escaped wrecking | strategic position of Wuchow. Its pillared | corpses floating down past Wuchow—the to that height which goes sheer to the In evidence of the local presperity which green, deep waters of the Fu on one side, ought to coincide with increasing trade and to the wide West River on the other. Wuchow city is said to have added largely It completely commands the entrances to to its population within the last few years. the Fu river, while the city of Wuchow is Very few new buildings have been noticed

> It is situated between hills, and the | would say, no doubt, that it was as it should sanitary arrangements. According to be-he having had the tune of Rule Dr Macdonald it has not evolved any Britannia ever singing in his cars. Below methods of sanitation superior to those the vacancy caused by the death of Mr the Consulate Hill on the west is Dr of a neglected native village. It is a good Nicol, Mr Ainsworth, the Liberal candidate. Macdonald's residence, and there he is thing then that it keeps itself to itself, and polled 4,326 votes, and Mr Stewart, the busy building, to his own design, a crowds on that one flat corner-a gray mud- Unionist, 2,740 votes. This is a Liberal large missionary hospital which he intends bordered slum amid the green solitudes of gain. to make self-supporting—the rich patients the hills. Only recently, to quote Dr paying for the poor. From the green Macdonald again,- 'There was to be seen suburb on the east of the city to Dr in the immediate vicinity of the town an Macdonald's buildings on the west the uncoffined corpse surrounded by a pack of foreign houses are to be seen built here and dogs. Not until the third day was the corpse buried,' and further,- 'No effort at period under review if we except one futile proclamation prohibiting pige from wandering about the streets. As might be expected no head was paid to the proclamation. Nothing less than relaying of all the streets will avail now. As the Augean stables never would have been cleaned apart from the herculean | culty already settled; and that relations device and labour of turning the rivers now are most cordial. Alphaus and Peneus through the place, so Disastrous Railway Collision in the place is never even partially cleaned.

None can, however, control or even predict It is possible to spend a holiday in Wu. | Udine, nine soldiers being killed and eighty For my own part I spent an enjoyable

boats. The pontoon is also called a pai (raft captains of the Canton steamers to get pronounced 'pai') and is not at all like cheques exchanged for silver. It is neceseither of these things. It is a pretty wooden | sary to see that you get this silver in coin house built on three great flat-bottomed | which is current in Wuchow. A Mission- ed the offer of the British Government of a cashed in ten cent pieces bearing the image an elevated tract, 200 miles long, between Goods are landed. and they all came back to her like the probefore her, pronounced useless. dragon would not pass-they must have the Queen's head. O loyal citizens of Wu-

> Another interesting morning was spent in visiting a 'mandarin' family in the city. At Wuchow Cantonese and 'mandarin speaking people with their different speech and characteristics meet and mingle like the

waters of the Fu and West Rivers. The absence of trees makes walking in on the water looks not only romantic but the wind is always cool and invigorating healthful. And in its early days boats were the maximum temperature for August is usually 90 degrees, and there is an interval | the Great Ebor Handicap was won by two Macdonald reports: 'Experience now the sun has fully drawn his glittering sword and third. Betting: 4 to 1 against Mcproves the Wuchow boats to be decidedly out of the sheath of hills in the East, and Yardley; 7 to 2 against Throwaway; and unhealthy as residences. He gives a case the welcome moment later on when it is 10 to 1 against Prince Florizel. living on his boat were simultaneously west. Holiday-makers who do not care to attacked with ague. 'The neighbourhood brave the wrath of that suspended sword was healthy country on the South side of must pass this interval as best they can covered as the river was in flood. The sailing down the current on the opposite boat was, moreover, anchored at an side where the green hill looks so cool and seemed reasonable to infer that the malarial moth-like sail is clinging so clossly to the parasite was being generated on board the cliffs under the pagoda. One may watch boat. The boatmen received orders to bale | the fisherman lifting and lowering the crane-like arrangement to which his net played some inches of mud generating fisher, high on silver wing, as he goes of course, ventilating solely into the living his sport. There will be no disturbing sound except the monotonous chant of the wood-Boats cannot he altogether pleasant counters as the bundles are flung with stead homes either, during the sudden mountain rhythm between loading and unloading boats squalls such as we had illustration of on one | Shade comes early thanks to the multitude | or two mornings during August when a most of hills, and by five o'clock Wuchow has torrific hurricane rushed down between the wealth of shadows. Then one's mind turns green walls of the West River, driving mist to the hills green as a boat-load of melons, and lightning before it, drawing the rolling red under the rind, too, and bare alsothunder after it, while it tore at the roofs though there are some picturesque excepand anchorages of boats, all but sending tions, for you will probably pass on a lower them adrift in the angry swirl of red level a grey temple with tinted panels of flowers and figures under its caves, and a We were in the library on the Custom coloured ornament sweeping to the corners House pai looking over the papers, of the brown roof where it curves upward during one of these sudden squalls and we with the proud grace of an ancient galley. felt how even that large pontoon could By the side of the temple will be probably roll and sway, while the excited howls of the a dump of the feathery bamboo - one of the ing examinations of and manipulating dis-Chinese outside mingled with the roar of most graceful things in the world. This and a bewilderment of naked arms and legs vignette at the head of a long chapter on the patients. When they began to and bamboo poles wildly extended in all of prose, and has to serve as illustration As you ascend you find that there is no . The Customs' Library is the only public level land in eight anywhere-and you are

serve that 4,000 dozens of handkerchiefs at work upon the bright, green patches of that the Chinese are not people of the cheerful wood-fires are beginning to refined habits. No soap though-unlike flame under the big rice pots. They wil Pears' infant, they can be happy without it. | welcome you pleasantly, for all the people

#### LATE TELEGRAMS.

The Army Manœuvres. London, August 27. The army maniouvres have been postponed for a week account of the heavy rains and the conse quent (unharvested) state of the crops.

The English Harvest. Continuous heavy rains have caused

England; and the prospects are most

#### The County Cricket Championship.

August 26.—Sussex has beaten Yorkshire by four wickets. Lancashire has beaten Leicestershire by right wickets. Gloucestershire has beaten Surrey by

The match Hampshire rs. Essex was The match Middlesex rs. Kent was aban- | &c., &c.; loned without a ball being bowled.

London, August 28, Middlesex has beaten Surrey by an innings and 94 runs thus winning the Championship Kent has besten Hampshire by an in nings and 17 runs.

#### Terrible Bomb Outrage.

At Kubeli Bergas, south of Adrianople, last night a bomb was thrown into the dining car of the through train from Buda

#### Election News.

In the election for Argyllshire owing to

#### Terrible Fire at Buda Pesth.

August 25.—A fire took place in a fancy | THE Company's Steamship goods warehouse which is surmounted by residential flats, at Buda Pesth last night. Capt. KLAUSBERGER, will leave for the The inmates in their terror jumped from only nine as yet altogether, including improvement has been made during the the windows. Thirteen were killed and sixteen injured. It is believed that 50 others perished in the flames.

#### Abyssinia and France.

It is declared in Paris that the Franco Abyssinian incident, mentioned in the message of the 24th instant, refers to a diffi-

Italy. August 28.—A collision has taken place, between a goods and a military train, at

the Cape. August 27.—Sir J. Gordon Sprigg, the Cape Premier, has been defeated in the ed ourselves with guessing which European | House of Assembly, awing to his refusal to country the odds and ends of crockery, lamps | comply with the demands of the Bond for

#### Colonel Eric Swayne.

Colonel Eric Swayne has been ordered to omaliland. Lieut.-Col. Eric John Eagles Swayne has been Commissioner and Consul-General for the Somali Coast Protectorate since 1902. His headquarters were at Berbera; and he of Wuchow dwelt upon the face of the waters and the visitor has to rely upon the very has been ordered back early this year, doubtless because of the forward movement | next month.l

#### East Africa and the Jews. The Zionist Congress at Basle has accept-

The Russian delegates have protested.

#### The Uganda Railway Company has reverbial bad penny, and were laid in a pile | solved to send an expedition to East Africa The to investigate.

The Great Ebor Handicap. August 26.—The following is the result f the race for the Great Ebor Hardicap :-Mr J. Musker's b. h. McYardley, by McMahon—Paradoxical..... Mr F. Alexander's b. c. Throwaway,

by Rightaway—Theale ...... 2 Mr H. J. King's br. c. Prince Florizel, by Florizel II.—Good Hope.. 3

Calcutta, August 27.- A London wire to the Indian Field, dated the 26th, says that

#### A Gambler's Last Stake.

The following tragic incident has just the West River. No mud banks were und indoors. One may watch the sunlight taken place in a Moscow club and created great sensation throughout the city. viveur named Ivanoff, having gambled away his whole fortune, sat down to play a last desperate game with a wealthy morchant of Dorpat, named Maximoff. The stakes were Ivanoff's wife or £20,000. Maximoff, who had long been secretly paying\_court to the lady whose fate thus hung in the balance, won the game. Ivanoff rose from the table went into an adjoining room, and blew his

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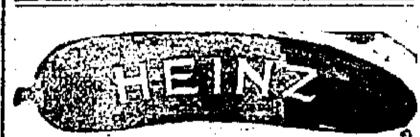
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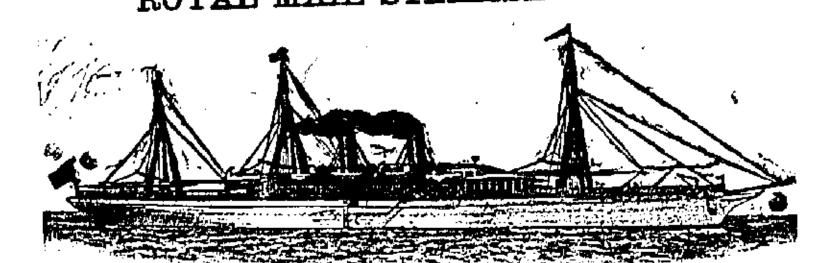
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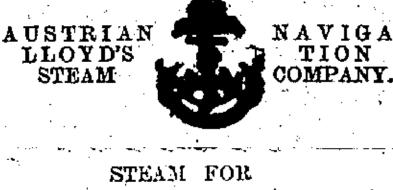
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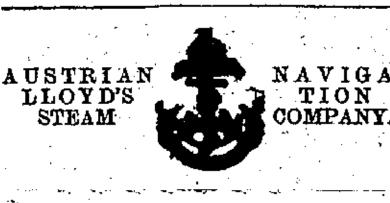
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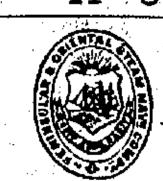
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Hongkong, September 7, 1903. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

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The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory :--On the 11th at 11.15a. The barometer has risen much over E. Japan, fallen slightly over S. China and the Philippines. The depression in the China Soa to the Southward of Hongkong is apparently be-

coming deeper and may give rise to bad weather in the Colony. Pressure is high over N. China and the N. part of the Sea of Japan. Strong NE, winds to gales in the Formosa Channel, and along S. coast of China. Forecast :- NE. winds, strong, possibly

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Highest open air temperature on the 9th......78 Lowest open air temperature on the 9th......75 F. G. FIGG, Acting Director. Hougkong, Observatorý, Sept. 10th, 1903.

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Sept. 6, Mails and General .-- P. & O. S.

Königsberg, German steamer, 3,135, H. Mayer, Yokohama and Foochow Sept. 9, General.—HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. Resetta Maru, Japanese str., 2,402, H S. Smith, Manila Sept. 9, General .-

Kwangtah, Chinese str., from Canton. DEPARTURES.

September 11. Wakasa Maru, for Kobe. Daijin Maru, for Swatow. Bygdo, for Hongay. Madeleine Rickmers, for Bangkok. Wongkoi, for Swatow. Haiching, for Swatow. Taishun, for Shanghai. Yuensang, for Manila. Ischia, for Singapore and Bombay. Kumana Mara, for Manila and Sydney.

CLEARED. Taishan, for Swatow. Kwongsang, for Shanghai. Tingsang, for Swatow. Canton, for Ningpo. Kalgan, for Shanghai. Zafiro, for Manila. Lycemoon, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Simla, for Hongkong : from London Mr J. H. Penfold; from Marseilles, M H. A. Denny; from Bombay, Lt. Branson from Penang, Miss Ida Ellis, and Mr H E. Rigge; from Singapore, Mr S. Frace For Shanghai: from London, Rev. and Mrs W. H. Murray, Miss Murray, Mr J Murray and 5 children, Messrs R. David son, A. Anderson, and A. S. Lawrence from Marseilles, Mr and Mrs G. W. Eves from Bombay, Mr Cooper. For Yokohama from Murseilles, Mr J. S. Plant, Fer Chusan, from Shanghai : for Hong kong, Lieut. Bradford, R.N., Corpl. T. C. Mee, R.B.L.I., Mossrs W. E. Craven, A Gastell, H. H. Stein, T. Lemon, F. Bodilly, T. W. Mitchell and I Assistant

SHIPPING REPORTS. The German steamer Tritos reporte From Manila Sept. 7th, had S.W. monsoon, with heavy rain squalls, and moderate

for Singapore, Lieut. W. H. Jeffreys.

POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-For MANILA. -

Per Zafiro, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 12th September. For CHINKIANG .---Per Loksung, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

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the 12th September. For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG .-Per Taicheong, at 4 p.m., on Saturday, the 12th September.

Per Stechnen, at 4 p.m., on Saturday,

Per Holstein, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 12th September. For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA PORTLAND, (OR.)-

Per Indrasamha, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 12th September. For YOKOHAMA & KOBE .-Per Chingtu, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the

14th September. For SHANGHAL,— Per Chinkiang, at 4 p.m., on Monday, The Imp. German Mails.s. Seydlitz carry-

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CUTTA.— Per Catherine Apeur, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th September.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET,-The British Contract Packet Chusan will be despatched on SATURDAY the 12th September, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements. Netherlands India, Burmah, Coylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 a.m.) Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m. Extra

(Letters posted in the Peak Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.)

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Siberia will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 15th Sept., with Mails for Macao, Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, United States, Canada, Honolylu, Peru, &c., which will be closed at follows :-Printed Matter and Samples at 4.30 p.m.

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VESSELS AT THE DOCKS :- At Korcloon. Pembrokeshire, H.M.S. Fame, Forthbank. kow.

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#### Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowlood shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked e., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building. S. From Blue Buildings to East, Point. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point, 10. Kowloon Wharves. II. Jardines Wharf.

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The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Franc Ferdinand

Hongkong Tides.

compiled at the Nautical Almanae Office

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The O. & O. S.S. Co.'s s.s. Coptic, with mails &c., from San Francisco to the 18th August, left Nagasaki for Manila on the 8th Sept., and she is due to arrive there on Sunday, the 13th Sept. and at this port on or about the 17th

The T. K. K. s.s. America Maru, with | Sat. mails &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, Mon. on the 26th Aug.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India left Yokohama on Friday afternoon, the 4th Sept., for Victoria and Van. Thus.

Stramers Expected. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Kaifong left Manila for this port on 9th September, and is expected to arrive here on 12th Sept., at daylight.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Kinshin Maru left Singapore for this port on the 7th September, and is expected to arrive here on the 13th September, a.m. The N. D. L. steamer Freiburg, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 8th September, and may be expected here on or about the 14th September, at daylight,

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Victoria sailed from Victoria, B.C., for Yokohama and the usual ports on 6th September, and may be expected to arrive on or about 21st September. Cosmopolitan. - Borneo, Nanyang, Han- The E. & A. s.s. Australian, sailed from Sydney on 2nd September, via On Calcutta-

Queensland Ports, Port Darwin and Manila, and may be expected here on 23rd Sept. The Indo-China S. N. Co., Ld. s.s. Namsang, from Calcutta and the Straits, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 8th Sept.

The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Taiyuan, from Australian Ports via Manila, left Sydney On Yokohamaon 5th September, and is expected to arrive here on 29th September. Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael).... The P. & A. steamer Indravelli sailed from Portland, Ore., on the 4th Sept., via the Japan ports, and may be expected to arrive at Hongkong on the oth October. The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. Pleiades

Kobe on the morning of 9th Sept. Latest Advices.

and Tacoma on the 1st Sept.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tartar arrived at China Coast Meteorological Yokohama at 5 p.m. on Thursday, the 10th September, and left again at 10 a.m. on Friday for Kobe, where she is Register. due to arrive at 4 p.m., on Saturday,

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Autsralian Ports ..... Eastern (s)...... Gibb. Livingston & Co Sept. 23, at Noon. B'bay, S'pere & Cl'bo. Idzumi Maru (s) .... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Sept. 22, at 5 p.m. Bremen, &c. ..... Bayern (a)..... Melchers & Co.... September 16. Bremen, &c. ...... Zieten (s) ....... Melchers & Co...... September 30. Bremen, &c. ..... Seydlitz (s) ..... Melchers & Co...... October 14.
Cebn & Roilo ...... Perla (s) ...... Shewan, Tomes & Co. Sept. 19, at 4 p.m. Chefoo & Newchwang Szechuen (8) ...... Butterfield & Swire ... September 12. Chefoo & Tientsin ... Nanchang (s)..... Butterfield & Swire.... September 23. C'po, Da'ny, Pt. Arthur Pronto (s)........ Hamburg-Am'ka Linie Sept. 19, at Noon. Havre, Breman H'burg Konigsberg (s)........ Hamburg-Am'ka Linie September 13. London, Antworp &c. Sumatra (s) ............ P & O. S. N. Co...... September 18. Liverpool v. Genoa ... Pingsuey (s) ...... Butterfield & Swire ... September 19. Manila ............ Zafiro (s) ............ Shewan, Tomes & Co. Sept. 12, at 10 a.m. Manila ........... Kaifong (s).......... Butterfield & Swire... September 16. Moji, Kobe & Yhama. Kagoshima Maru (s)... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. October 2, at Noon. Mar., L'don, A'erp, &c. Inaba Maru (s)...... Nippon Yusen Kaishe Oct. 3, Daylight. Mar., L'don & A'erp. Kintuck (a) ...... Butterfield & Swire... September 15. Mar., L'don & A'erp. Glaucus (s)...... Butterfield & Swire.... September 29. Odessa...... Knias Gortschakow (s) Bradley & Co. ...... About Sept. 26. Shanghai.......Chinkiang (8) .........Butterfield & Swire... September 14. S'hai, Y'ma & Kobe... Franz Ferdinand (s)... Sander. Wieler & Co. September 18, p.m. S'pore, P'ang Calcutta. Catherine Apcar (s)... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Sept. 15, at Noon. S'pore, P'ang, Calcutta. Persia (8) ............ Sander, Wieler & Co. September 19, p.m. S'hai and Portland, Or. Indrasamha (s)...... Portland & A. S. Co.. September 13. S'tow. Amoy& Apping. Maidzuru Maru (s) .. Osaka Shosen Kaisha... September 13. S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daigi Maru (s) ...... Osaka Shosan Kaisha.. September 17. V. acouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of Japan(s)... Canadian P'fic R. Co. September 23. Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Lyra (s) ..... Dodwell & Co. Limited September 17. .. Dodwell & Co., Ltd ... September 24. Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Tacoma (s)..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Sept. 22, at 4 p.m. Victoria, B.C., Seattle, Tosa Maru (8) ...... Victoria, B.C., Seat.le. Kaka Maru (s) ...... Nippon Yusen Kaisha Oct. 6, at 4 p.m. Y'ham, Kobe & T'tau. Freiburg (s) ........... Hamburg-Am'ka Linie Sept. 17, Daylight.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS, September 11, 1903. No. of Closing Quotations. Value. Stoche. Shares. ) \$630, sales & buyers BANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. London, £64 National Bank of China, Limited ... 19,970 £ 10 | £ 8 | \$28, sales 10 £ 8 \$28, sales Founders shares 750 £ 1 £ 1 \$10 MARINE INSURANCES. Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld. ... 10,000 |\$ 250 |\$ 50 |\$182\, sellers China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24,000 | 8 83.33 | 8 North-China Insurance Co., Ld. ... 5,000 £ 100 E 25 Tls. 225, sellers 100 | 20 | 51, buyers 250 | 100 | \$500, buyers Yangteze Insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 | 3 100 | \$ 60 | \$135 FIRE INSURANCES. China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. ..... 20,000 \$ 20 | \$86%, buyers Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 8,000 [\$ 50 \$325, sellers H'kong & Whampos Dock Co. Ld., 50,000 \$204, buyers all Jeo. Fenwick & Co., Limited. ..... 25 /8 25 S471 New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd..... 6,000 8 64 \$375, buyers S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ld.... 55,700 Tls. 100 Tls100 Tls. 140 STEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC. / 50 |\$ 50 |\$19, sellers China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld., 45 \$14, sellors Douglas Steamship Co., Limited ... 20,000 all \$36, buyers HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld. 80,000 15 \$ 15 \$33, sellers Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 all | \$83 10 | \$ 10 | \$26\frac{1}{2}, sellers Star Ferry Company, Ld. ...... 10 | \$ 5 | \$16\frac{1}{2}, sellen. Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd. 2000,000 £ 1 £ 1 £1.20, buyers Taku Tug and Lighter Co., Ld. .... 8,600 Tls. 50 Tls 50 Tls. 44, ex div., buyers Shanghai Tug & Lighter Co , Ltd. | 200,000 | Tls. 50 | Tls. 62 in London from the result of the analysis Wlostock 2 p. 29.93; 68 - | N | 2 | b Preference. China Sugar Company, Limited...... 20,000 S . 100 Luzon Sugar Company, Limited. ... Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ld..... 7,000 Tls. 50 T 50 Tls. 65 HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 30,000 | 3 al} Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.... 20,100 Tls. 100 Tls. 215, sales LAND AND BUILDING. Hongkong Land Investment and | 50,000 | 8 100 \$154, sellers Agency Company, Limited ..... Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. 39,000 Tis. 50 Tis. 50 Tis. 100, sales Kewloon Land and Building Com-) 30 335, sales I any Wei-hel-wei Land & Bullding Co., Ed 25 Tls. 25 Tls. 18 Humphreys Estate & Finance Co... 100,000 S all \$104, sellers West Point Building Co., Limited ... 12,500 |\$ 50 |\$ 50 |850 HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,250 | 3 100 | all \$320, sellers Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld... 60,000 | 3 5 50 cents, sellers New Punjom Mining Co., Ld....... 60,000 | 3 11 |\$ 11 |\$1.65, buyers Preference shares..... 30,000 |\$ 1 alt 30 conts, buyers Société Française des Charbon-16,000 Fcs. 250 \$600, sellers al! nages du Tonkin. ..... Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ld.... 200,000 £ 1 | 18/10 | \$9, sellers HOTELS, ETC. Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. ... ali |\$145, ex div. Oriente Hotel, Manila..... Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientsin). 2,000 T.Tls.50 Tis. 150, buyers Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai) 30,000 [8] 25 |\$ 25 |\$29½, sales DISPENSARIES. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited ...... 60,000 |\$ all \$141, sales & buyers Watkins Limited ...... 10,000 10 \$ 10 \$8, buyers HK. and China Gas Co., Limited... 7,000 £ \$140, buyers 10 all Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd....... 8,000 Tla. 50 Tls. 50 Tls. 109, sales Hongkong Electric Co., Limited ... 30,000 S 10 |\$ 10 |\$12.60, sales New Electrics (new issue) ........... 30,000 |S 10 \$ 5 \$7, sollers BRICK AND CEMENT. Green Island Cement Co., Ld. ..... 50,000 |S 10 \$ 10 \$22 MISCELLANEOUS. 50 | \$ 50 | \$15, buyers Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, ) 8,604 £ :2/6 £ 12/6 \$51, sellers Ld. ..... United Asbestos Oriental Agency, \ 0.000 ordy \$ 4 | \$9.10 Limited ...... 100 fders 3 10 \$260 longsong Bakery Company, Ld. ... 600 3 50.8 5 310 Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd. ... 7,000 3 10 \$15, buyers Hongkong Dairy Farm Co............ 10,000 |\$ all Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... 5,000 & Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd..... 7,200 £ all . **\$250.** seller. 20 £ 20 Tis. 425 ebrau Planting Company, Ltd..... 20,000 S 5 8 5 nominal H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 10,000 |S 50 all \$145, sellers 10 \$ 10 \$15, buyers Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. 120,0 Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weav-17.500 Tis. CO Tis100 Tis. 36 ing Co., Ld. International Cotton Manufactur-10,000 Tis. 75 Tis.75 Tis. 40, sellers ing Co., Ld. Laou-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning 8,000 Tis. 100 Tis100 Tie: 40, buyers and Weaving Co., Ld. ..... Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. 2,000 Th. 500 Tis500 Tis, 160 Ohina Provident Loan Mortgage 10 |\$ 10 |\$9½, sellers Co. Ld. ChinalBorneo Company, Ltd. ..... 60.000 3 12 |\$ 12 |\$9.50, sellers Universa Trading Co...... 20,000 |\$ 20 8 20 823, buyers Robinson Piano Co. 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